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Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the second paragraph of page 7 with the following corrected paragraph in clean form:

In another aspect of this invention, the collar of this invention is provided with slots which extend through the thickness of the collar. The slots mate with bosses on the key to provide an improved fit between the collar and the key. The bosses are configured to cause mating slots on the collar to expand outwardly when the key is rotated into position until the bosses fit into the open slots. The bosses 106 and 108 illustrated in FIG. 10 are configured with an angled edge that causes the mating slots on the collar to expand outwardly when the key is rotated into position until the bosses fit into the open slots. At the point of fitting, the slots contract toward each other and thus overlap renders it more difficult for the key to become detached from the collar during use.

Please replace the fourth paragraph of page 7 with the following corrected paragraph in clean form:

Referring to FIG. 10, an end cap 92 of this invention comprises a fluid passageway 94 having O-rings 96 and 98. The end cap 92 includes a plate 100 having flanges 102 and 104 with grooves 112 and 114 respectively on a lower surface adjacent the filter medium of each of the flanges, the groove shaped to mate with an inner surface configuration of said collar attached to said bowl. The flanges 102 and 104 fit into slots of a housing such as slots 86 shown in FIG. 9. The flanges 102 and 104 also are provided with bosses 106 and 108 which promote securing the end cap 92 is secured, such as by bonding to an end of a filter cartridge such as illustrated in FIG. 2.

Please replace the fifth paragraph of page 7 with the following corrected paragraph in clean form:

Referring to FIG. 11, an alternative end cap 110 of this invention is shown. The end cap 110 does not include the bosses of the end cap of FIG. 10. The end cap 110 includes a plate 100,

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flanges 102 and 104 with grooves 116 and 118 respectively on a lower surface adjacent the filter medium of each of the flanges, the groove shaped to mate with an inner surface configuration of said collar attached to said bowl, a fluid passageway 94 and O-rings 96 and 98. The flanges 102 and 104 fit into slots of a collar of a bowl such as shown in FIG. 9.